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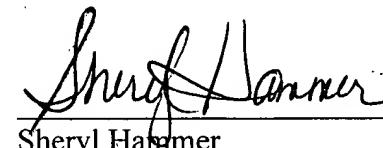
I, Sheryl Hammer, make the following statements from my own personal knowledge under penalty of perjury:

1. I am an assistant to patent attorney, John G. Posa, of the law firm Gifford, Krass, Groh, Sprinkle, Anderson & Citkowski, PC. I have held this position for over 11 years.

2. On January 22, 2001, I prepared the above-referenced patent application for mailing to the Patent Office. It is my normal practice to make three sets of documents making up an application submission - the written application, drawings and the required inventor-executed papers. One set is mailed to the Patent Office, one set remains in the file, and the last set will be sent to the applicant. This has been my practice for filing applications for over 11 years.

3. It is also my normal practice to count and recount the set being mailed to the Patent Office and make sure the postcard and transmittal papers all agree on the count. On January 22, 2001, I counted 8 sheets of drawings and indicated so on the postcard and transmittal document (copies attached hereto) accompanying the application.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.



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Date: May 3, 2001